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In re Application of : Attn: Mail Stop Amendment

Yoshiyuki OCHI et al. : Patent Art Unit: 4147

Serial No. 10/534,690 : Examiner: Dnyanesh G. Kasture

Filed: October 12, 2005 : Confirmation No. 5600

For: PUMP DRIVING METHOD AND

DEVICE THEREOF

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

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REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDIT. RATE FEE	ADDIT. RATE FEE
TOTAL 12	- 20 =	0	x 25 = \$	<u>x 50 = \$</u>
INDEP 6	- 4 =	2	x 105 = \$	x 210 = \$420.00
[] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM			+ 185 = \$	+ 370 = \$
			TOTAL \$	TOTAL \$420.00

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the February 7, 2008 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the <u>Listing of Claims</u>, which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1, 3-6 and 8-14 are pending, with claims 1, 4-6, 9 and 10 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.